## AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF PROTECTED HEALTH INFORMATION:

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## How to request your medical records:

To disclose or release copies of a patient's protected health information, download the Authorization For Use/Disclosure of Protected Health Information Form.

If you have any questions completing the form, you may call (703) 207-7159 between the hours of 8AM-4:30PM, Mon.-Fri. for assistance. Certain restrictions and fees may apply. To submit your request in writing you may mail the authorization form to:

Northern Virginia Mental Health Institute Attn: Health Information Management Department 3302 Gallows Road Falls Church Falls Church, Virginia 22042-3398

To submit your request by fax, fax the completed and signed authorization form to (703) 207-7139.

Please allow the Health Information Management Department three days to log in the request. After three days, please call (703) 207-7159 between the hours of 8AM-4:30PM, Mon.-Fri. to check the status of your request.

Please follow the instructions below when filling out the authorization form.

Fill ou	t the authorization form completely, to include the following:
	Telephone number of the patient/LAR;
	Full name of patient (Please indicate any other names used that could help with
	the process);
	Date of birth of patient;
	Social security number of patient (optional);
	Type of information needed or requested (Placed a check mark by the report and
	specific dates of documentation requesting);
	Intended use of information (Please indicate if the information needed /released
	will be for personal use or continuing care);
	Specify the time period of how long the authorization will be valid;
	Specify the effective date of the authorization;
	The authorization must be signed and dated by the patient or LAR.
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